



RESTRICTION ELECTION FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

APR 26 2004

OFFICIAL

DATE: April 26, 2004

FROM/ATTORNEY: Eric M. Brusca (52,664)

FIRM: Marshall, Gerstein & Borun LLP

PAGES, INCLUDING COVERSHEET: 7

PHONE NUMBER: (312) 474-6300

TO EXAMINER: S. DEVI, Ph.D.

ART UNIT: 1645

SERIAL NUMBER: 10/054,536

FAX/TELECOPIER NUMBER: ~~(703) 308-4315~~ 703 872-9306

**PLEASE NOTE: THIS FACSIMILE NUMBER IS TO BE USED ONLY
FOR RESPONSES TO RESTRICTIONS.**

COMMENTS: _____

IF YOU HAVE NOT RECEIVED ALL THE PAGES OF THIS TRANSMISSION, PLEASE CONTACT THE ATTORNEY AT THE TELEPHONE NUMBER LISTED ABOVE.

IN COMPLIANCE WITH 1096.00-30, THE FILING DATE ACCORDED EACH OFFICIAL FAX TRANSMISSION WILL BE DETERMINED BY THE FAX MACHINE DATE STAMP FOUND ON THE LAST PAGE OF THE TRANSMISSION, UNLESS THAT DATE IS A SATURDAY, SUNDAY, OR FEDERAL HOLIDAY WITHIN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, IN WHICH CASE THE OFFICIAL DATE OF RECEIPT WILL BE THE NEXT BUSINESS DAY.

THE DOCUMENT(S) ACCOMPANYING THIS FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION CONTAIN(S) INFORMATION FROM THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE WHICH IS CONFIDENTIAL AND/OR LEGALLY PRIVILEGED. THIS INFORMATION IS FOR THE USE OF THE INDIVIDUAL OR FIRM NAMED ON THIS SHEET. IF YOU ARE NOT THE INTENDED RECIPIENT, YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED THAT ANY DISCLOSURE, COPYING, DISTRIBUTION, OR THE TAKING OF ANY ACTION IN RELIANCE ON THE CONTENTS OF THIS INFORMATION IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. THE DOCUMENTS SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE IMMEDIATELY. IF THIS FACSIMILE IS RECEIVED IN ERROR, PLEASE NOTIFY THE ATTORNEY LISTED HEREON IMMEDIATELY.

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Nobutaka Wakamiya

Serial No.: 10/054,536

Filed: January 22, 2002

Title: Recombinant Human Mannan-Binding Protein and Producing Method of the Same


Group Art Unit: 1645

Examiner: Devi, Sarvamangala J. N.

Attorney Docket No. 19036/36614A

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING
UNDER 37 CFR 1.08

I hereby certify that this paper is being transmitted via facsimile to fax number (703)-872-9306, on April 26, 2004.


Eric M. Brusca, Ph.D.

APPLICANT'S AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION
REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Patent Application
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to an Office Action mailed on March 25, 2004. This response is timely filed, however, should any fees be deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this document, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any such fees from Marshall, Gerstein and Borun LLP deposit account number 13-2855.

Amendments to the specification. There are no amendments to the specification

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the complete listing of claims pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.